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Per reftel request, Poloff delivered talking points and non-paper to Nestan Bejanishvili, Third Secretary of the Security Policy and Euro-Atlantic Integration Department at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Bejanishvili said that she was not aware of the Convention on Supplementary Compensation for Nuclear Damage or whether the Georgian government planned to ratify the Convention. She said Georgia currently does not generate electricity from nuclear power, but may do so in the future. She said she would review the information outlined in the non-paper and pass it along to her superiors in the department for evaluation.